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A FAREWELL AND WELCOME.

Reception Tendered to New Pastor of
Victoria West Methodist Church.

In Victoria West Methodist church last
night a pleasant evening was spent in wel-
coming the new pastor, Rev. S. S. Oster-
hout, and in bidding farewell to the late
pastor, Rev. Geo. H. Evans. In appreciation
of the latter's services the congregation
presented him with an address and a purse
of gold.

The new pastor is no stranger to Vic-
toria. He was married in Victoria to
Miss Humber, daughter of the late Maurice
Humber, some years ago, and has been a
frequent visitor to this city. For the past
five years he has been stationed at Port
Simpson, where he succeeded the pioneer
missionary, Rev. Thomas Crosby.

Rev. Mr. Deans has been superannuated.
He has declined a position offered him be-
cause of failing health. Rev. Mr. Deans
has been pastor of the Victoria West
Methodist church during the past year. He
succeeded Rev. Mr. Tanner, who also oc-
cupied the pulpit of the church for a year,
and prior to Rev. Mr. Tanner Rev. J. D.
P. Knox was pastor. It was during the
latter's term of ministry that the church
was cleared of all debt and enlarged. His
predecessors were Rev. J. P. Hicks, Rev.
Mr. Turner and Rev. Geo. Morten.

VICTIMS OF CLOUDBURST.

Thirty People Reported to Have Been
Drowned—Seven Bodies Re-
covered.

(Associated Press.)

El Paso, Texas, June 11.—Seven
bodies, most of them women, have been
recovered at Clifton, Arizona, since the
torrent from the cloudburst of Tuesday
night spent its fury. Thirty persons are
missing, and the property loss will ex-
ceed \$100,000. The Arizona Copper Co.,
located in a canyon through which the
water swept, was the worst sufferer. Its
loss will reach \$50,000. Eight miles
of the Arizona & Mexico railway track
were washed out, and the evening pas-
senger train was bowled over into the
canyon. Telegraph communication was
cut off, and the news was sent to Lord-
burg and surrounding towns by runners.

The Kansas legislature will hold an
extra session. The call is to be issued
as soon as the governor receives as-
urances from a quorum of the members
that they will be here. The special ses-
sion will provide for relieving the flood
situation.

Jan. J. Corbett has arrived at Oak-
land, Cal., and begins training on Sat-
urday.

SERVIA'S KING AND QUEEN MURDERED BY SOLDIERS

Brother and Sister of the Queen, Three Minis- ters, a General and Several Members of the Royal Guards Also Shot—New Ruler.

(Associated Press.)
Belgrade, June 11.—A military revolu-
tion broke out here last night. The
troops, who revolted under the leader-
ship of Major Ankovic, surrounded
the palace and assassinated King Alex-
ander, Queen Draga, the latter's sister
and brother, Nijedma, Premier Marko-
vitch, Ministers Petrovitch and Todor-
vitch, General Pavlovitch, the former min-
ister of war, and some members of the
Royal Guard.

Prince Karageorgevitch was proclaimed
king.

A new government was formed and the
following proclamation was issued:

"To the Serbian People: Last night the
King and Queen were shot. In this
grave and fateful moment friends of the
fatherland have combined to form a
new government. While the government
makes this announcement to the people
it is convinced that the Serbian people
will gather round it and lend it their aid
to maintain order and security through-
out the land. The government hereby
proclaims that from to-day the constitu-
tion of April 6th, 1901, comes in force.

"A meeting of the national representa-
tives, dissolved by the proclamation of
March 24th, is summoned to meet at
Belgrade on June 15th. (Signed) Jovan
Avakumovic, premier; L. Jubanur
Kallievich, foreign minister; Stojohn Pro-
ties, minister of the interior; George
Genshis, minister of finance; Col. Alex-
ander Machin, minister of public works;
L. Jubanur Schiokovic, minister of jus-
tice."

The streets are thronged with people,
whose actions seem to approve the coup
d'etat. M. Protjes, the new minister of
the interior, was loudly cheered as he
drove to the ministry. M. Avakumovic,
the new premier, belongs to the Indepen-
dent Liberal party.

First Reports.

Belgrade, Serbia, June 11.—King
Alexander and Queen Draga were shot
to death in the royal palace during night.
The deed was carried out by the army.
Besides the King and Queen, Premier
Markovitch, Gen. Petrovitch and former
Minister of War Pavlovitch, were shot.

Confirmed.

London, June 11.—M. Mijabovich, the
Serbian minister at London, confirmed
the reported assassination of the King
and Queen of Serbia.

COMMISSION'S GOOD WORK.

Differences at Vancouver Between Rail-
way Company and U. B. R. E.
Settled.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, June 11.—The differences
between C. P. R. and the United Bro-
therhood of Railway Employees, in so
far as the Vancouver division of the or-
der is concerned, were settled this morn-
ing through the conciliatory offices of the
royal commission.

As the terms have to be communicated
to the U. B. R. E. divisions up the line,
they will not be made public till the
agreement is ratified by the signatures
of both parties. This is expected to
occur later this afternoon.

THE FRASER RIVER.

To-day's bulletin regarding the condi-
tion of the Fraser river are as follows:
Ashcroft—The river rose 8 inches at
Queens and 16 inches at Soda Creek, and
is also rising at Lillooet. The weather con-
ditions extremely warm.

Yale—The river has fallen 2 inches since
8 a. m. yesterday.

Dispatches received here confirm the
assassination of King Alexander and
Queen Draga, of Serbia, and add that
three ministers of the King, together
with several aide-de-camps and Queen
Draga's brother also were murdered.

The Serbian minister said there were
many causes leading to the revolution. A
large strain of the people were greatly
dissatisfied with the tendency of King
Alexander to eliminate the Radical ele-
ment from the government, and by the
constant rumors of his intention appoint

Queen Draga's brother, Nijedma, heir
apparent. In addition to this the Queen
was disliked by the people, who were
also intensely outraged at the recent sus-
pension of the constitution. The min-
ister did not anticipate that the changes
would result in internecine strife or in
any real dangers to the country. He
pointed out that the original Karageorge
was not a Prince. He was a rich swine
owner. The father of the new King was
made a Prince in 1842.

The minister also related a curious
incident. He said that a month ago he
was present at a clairvoyant's seance,
at which a letter written by the murder-
ed King was handed to the clairvoyant,
who immediately became intensely agi-
tated, predicted that King Alexander
would be assassinated very shortly, and
even depicted the scene which appears
to have been enacted at the palace at
Belgrade during the night.

The tragedy of the palace at Belgrade,
marking the latest of the revolutions
which have convulsed Serbia from time
to time during the past century, is not
regarded in diplomatic circles in London
as likely to lead to civil war. Stress is
laid on the unpopularity of King Alex-
ander since his marriage to Queen
Draga. King Alexander's successor
Prince Karageorgevitch is regarded as
being most acceptable to the people.

The universal anxiety of the govern-
ments of Europe for peace is advanced
as a reason why the Serbian situation is
not likely to lead to complications.
Should, however, these unexpected
arise, official circles think an Austrian-
Hungarian army will immediately march
into Serbia and restore order. This
eventuality, however, is considered im-
probable.

The people received the news of the
assassinations, which were perpetrated
between 10.30 o'clock last night and 2
o'clock this morning, quietly. The bodies
of the King and Queen remain in the
palace.



KING ALEXANDER.

royal palace, where they assassinated
King Alexander and Queen Draga.

The assassination of the ministers oc-
curred between 12 and 1 o'clock this
morning.

The Cologne Gazette prints a dispatch
from Belgrade, which says a story is
current there that the late King Alex-
ander was recently considering granting
a separation from Queen Draga, and
that the latter becoming aware of this,
planned preventive measures. Some
high militia officers last night, the dis-
patch adds, entered the palace and tried
to carry off the Queen by force, but en-
countered resistance on the part of the
Queen's partisans, and in the fierce strug-
gle which followed, the King and Queen
and their respective supporters were
killed.

A further telegram from the same
source says: "The career of the Obrenov-
itch dynasty was closed in the early
hours of this morning, the same day of
the year on which Prince Michael was
murdered, 37 years ago, in the park near
Belgrade. To-day a requiem mass was
being sung in memory of Prince Michael,
and now the last of his race, together
with all connected with the dynasty by
his unfortunate marriage, lies on a bier
in the palace at Belgrade.

"The people of Belgrade have been
flocking the streets since 3 o'clock this
morning discussing the tragedy, but
without condemnation.

"A strong detachment of troops is

encamped about the palace of the newly-
proclaimed King, who was a pretender
to the throne for many years. He was
born in Belgrade in 1840 and was mar-
ried in 1883 to Princess Zorka, daughter
of Prince Nicholas, of Montenegro. She
died in 1890."

A dispatch from Semlin, Hungary, to
the National Zeitung, gives an interest-
ing version of the events at Belgrade. It
says:

"A party of officers proceeded to the
palace by previous arrangement with
General L. Juhavich and called upon
King Alexander to abdicate in favor of
Prince Peter Karageorgevitch. The
King refused and shot Col. Naumovic,
who made the proposal. The other offi-
cers thereupon summoned the war min-
ister, General Pavlovitch, and Todor-
vitch, the minister of the interior, and
shot the King and Queen and Petro-
vitch, one of the King's aide de camps,
and other loyal officers.

"The leader of the actual assassins
was Lieut.-Col. Mischich, who himself
murdered the Queen. The latter, to-
gether with her brother and sisters, was
struck down with an axe. The King was
shot.

"The Queen died immediately. The
King lived a few minutes after being
shot.

"An immediate cause of the revolution
was the return to Belgrade of the brother
of the Queen, and supposed candidate for
the throne.

"The Serbian ministers have been ar-
rested. The obsequies of the King and
Queen will occur on June 14th. A festal
illumination of Belgrade is projected for
this evening."

The dispatch concluded with stating
that intense joy prevails at Belgrade.

Premier's Wife Also Dead.

Vienna, June 11.—A dispatch from
Semlin, Hungary, says that in addition
to the assassination of King Alexander
and Queen Draga, Premier Markovitch,
his wife, the commander of the palace
guard, and two other persons were
murdered.

Another Version.

Berlin, June 11.—The Frankfort Zei-
tung, in its version of the tragedy at
Belgrade, says that when the troops en-
tered the royal bedroom, King Alexander
seized a revolver and shot the Queen
and then himself.

The political history of this rather ob-
scure kingdom in the Balkans can well
be described as a record of conspiracy
and intrigue in which assassination and
attempts to assassinate have played
prominent parts. "Uneasy lies the head
that wears the crown" is certainly a
truism in the case of the Obrenovitch
dynasty, and when Alexander ascended

to the throne he was less to be envied
than his meanest subject. In March,
1880, he succeeded his father, the notori-
ous Milan, whose spendthrift proclivities
and unkindly conduct roused the ire of his
subjects and compelled him to abdicate
in favor of his son. He was granted an
annuity from the Serbian treasury and
pledged himself to keep out of the coun-
try.

Milan has had an interesting time in
avoiding the weapons of assassins. In
1882 a plot to overthrow the dynasty
which has just received a fell blow by
the wholesale slaughter of royalty, cul-
minated in an attempt to kill him. In
July, four years ago, a Bosnian took four
shots at him with a revolver and slightly
wounded him in the hand. A number of
Radicals were implicated in this plot.

Milan's predecessor, Michael III., was
assassinated in 1898. Had Milan not
abdicated in favor of his son there is
little doubt that he would have been re-
moved in the same way, which seems to
be an established custom in getting rid
of an unpopular ruler, and significant of
the persistent attempt to abolish the
reigning dynasty which has practically
been accomplished by the guards of the
palace. Alexander assumed the reins of
government on April 13th, 1893, before
he had attained the legal age. He was
born in 1870, and was therefore only 33
years of age when he ascended the
throne. He married the daughter of the
Prince of Montenegro.

Serbia was proclaimed a kingdom in
1882, but was a principality to Turkey
till 1878, when the Berlin conference
recognized its independence. It is part
of the Balkan peninsula, its frontiers
touch those of Austria, Roumania, Bul-
garia and Turkey. Its area is 20,850
square miles, and its population some
time ago was estimated at 2,000,000.
The country is mountainous and densely
wooded. The climate is temperate and
salubrious, but somewhat cold in the
higher regions. The mountains are be-
lieved to be rich in copper and silver, but
mining is almost unknown, and the
manufacturing industry is very back-
ward.

The previous King, Milan, became con-
scious about fifteen years ago through
his troubles with Nathalie, his Queen,
from whom he obtained an absolute di-
vorce in 1888. In 1890 the divorce was
declared null and void, and in the follow-
ing year Nathalie was expelled from the
kingdom—a kingdom over which her son
Alexander had become ruler. The legiti-
mate power the country resides partly in
the King and partly in the Skupstina,
or national assembly of 178 members.
There are eight ministers. The council
of state or senate is a deliberative not
legislative body, and comprises one mem-
ber for each of the twenty-two districts
into which Serbia has been divided since
its enlargement in 1878. There is also
a great assembly of 558 members, which
is called when required to decide vital
and constitutional questions. Army
service is compulsory and universal, the
total regulars and militia being 137,600.

This terrible murder of the reigning
monarchs is the culmination of a long
standing conspiracy to place Karageorge-
vitch, pretender, on the throne. It was
to accomplish this that two attempts
were made to assassinate ex-King Milan.

fessors. Mr. Charlton was supported by
nearly all the speakers before lunch.

IMPERIAL COMMONS.

Dissolution Not Likely to Take Place
Until 1905.

(Special to the Times.)

Montreal, June 11.—A special cable
from London to-day says: "Inquiries to-
day at ministerial headquarters show no
expectation of a general election until
1905. The interval will be used to stimu-
late a discussion of all phases of prefer-
ence."

PLAGUE SPREADING.

Situation in Hongkong Is Growing
Worse—Two British Officers
Are Ill.

(Associated Press.)

London, June 11.—According to the
Daily Mail's correspondent at Hongkong,
the spread of the plague in that city has
reached an alarming stage, the worst
since 1894. Two British officers in
Hongkong and six men aboard the Brit-
ish battleship Ocean have been attacked
by the disease.

The first lifeboat was built at South
Shields, and used on January 30th, 1130.



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TWO TRAINMEN LOST THEIR LIVES

LOCOMOTIVE AND CAR FELL THROUGH TRESTLE

Orange Grand Lodge Now in Session at
Winnipeg—Meeting of Electrical
Workers.

Halifax, June 10.—Steamer Woodford, from Pecos for Port of Spain, is aground near North Sydney.

For Loss of Husband.
Montreal, June 10.—The jury in the Superior Court today gave Mrs. Octave Tremblay, widow of a G. T. R. conductor, who was killed in last accident last December, on the Victoria bridge, \$10,000 damages against the company.

Street Railway Stock.
To-day was one of considerable excitement on the stock market; heavy selling orders drawing the price of Montreal street railway stock down to 218, a decline for the day of 21 points. Then Senator Forget, president of the company, took off his coat and announced that he was prepared to buy all the street railway stock anybody desired to sell. Under this stimulus prices crept up to 225. Sales of the day were 3,500 shares. Four thousand of these are said to be stock one man was carrying on margin at purchase price around 275, making his loss on the transaction over \$200,000. But a small percentage of the stock sold was investment stock. Montreal street railway is a gilded security, paying ten per cent. without any difficulty. The slump affected other stocks.

Annual Meeting.
Toronto, June 10.—The thirteenth annual convention of the Canadian Electrical Association met this morning with about 100 members in attendance. President Resor, Lindsay, delivered the annual address, and drew attention to the rising cry for municipal ownership and declared that people had gone mad about it. These were the same people who a short time ago clamored for, and induced capitalists to invest in and construct, municipal utilities.

Atlas Company Liabilities.
The liabilities of the Atlas Loan Company, St. Thomas, which suspended payment as a result of the Ames & Co. failure, are \$687,000. The company has a deposit of \$225,000 in Savings accounts, and is indebted to bondholders to a further sum of \$232,000. No account is given of the other \$230,000.

Two Lives Lost.
Winnipeg, June 10.—The locomotive and a car of fish attached to a freight bound express went through a trestle east of Rat Portage early this morning, taking Engineer W. Johnson and W. Knott, his fireman, to watery graves. The trestle was under repair and the express was going at a very slow rate of speed when the accident occurred. It is one of the latest, just imported from Scotland. Both men were residents of Rat Portage.

Orange Grand Lodge.
The Orange Grand Lodge of British North America opened its sessions here this afternoon with about 100 delegates in attendance. Fifty delegates are delayed in reaching the city owing to the C. P. R. accident east of Rat Portage, but will arrive during the night. The chief business of this afternoon and evening's sessions was the reception of Grand Master Spore's annual address, and the reports of other grand officers. Previous to the Grand Lodge meeting, the grand chapter of the Royal Black Preceptory of British America met in annual convention, and elected the following officers: M. W. G. M., Marshall Thompson, Windsor; S. D. G. M., Charles H. Hutchings, St. Johns, Nfld.; J. D. G. M., John McMillan, Toronto; grand chapter, Rev. Wm. Walsh, Brampton; grand registrar, J. S. Williams, Toronto; grand treasurer, W. H. Wilson, Toronto; grand secretary, Jas. Fulton, Toronto; grand censor, Wm. Connelly, Winnipeg; grand marshal, J. F. Harper, Hamilton; first S. bearer, John Scarlett, Leamington; second S. bearer, Luth Myles, Rat Portage; pursuivant, S. Cook, Toronto; pursuivant, S. Cairns, Ottawa; deputy grand chap., Rev. Wm. McLean, P. E. I.; deputy grand chap., Rev. E. J. Hopper, Carleton Place; deputy grand registrar, Dan McDougall, Cape Breton; deputy grand treasurer, John McMaster, Carleton Place; deputy secretary, W. R. Martin, Newfoundland; J. Cox Mather, G. M. K. Manitoba, W. M. Adams, Ontario East; Douglass Simpson, Nova Scotia; Wm. Duff, N. W. T.; John T. B. C. E. K. Bruce, P. E. I.; F. M. Spore, New Brunswick; Chris. Armstrong, Ontario West; committee, T. J. Blaine, Brampton; Col. A. E. Beecher, Southampton; W. B. Scrigley Toronto; Fred. Schultz, Balduf; W. P. Hepp, Morison; Thomas Allen, and J. M. Gerry, Indian Head; auditors, Wm. Lee, Toronto; Geo. D. Gilmour, Toronto.

FOR SCENE OF TROUBLE.
Soldiers Ordered to Move Now in Possession of Mexicans and Italians.

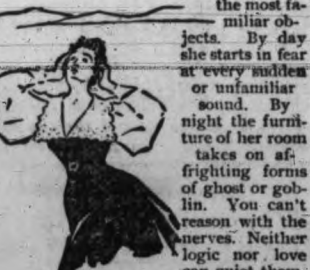
Phoenix, Ariz., June 10.—A private telegram was received here today stating that Morelos in the midst of a thousand armed Mexicans and Italians, and expressing the belief that trouble would quickly follow unless troops soon arrived and martial law proclaimed. During the afternoon acting Governor Stoddard received a telegram from Brig. Gen. Baldwin, commanding the department of the Colorado, informing him that in accordance with instructions from the secretary of war, he had directed three troops of cavalry dismounted, from Fort Grant, and two troops from Fort Huachuca, to proceed to Morelos under command of Col. Loeb, of the 14th Cavalry.

RETURNING TO WORK.
Tie-Up in Building Trades in New York Is Practically Ended.

New York, June 10.—The great building tie-up practically ended today, when the lumber and brick yards throughout Greater New York were thrown open for business. The delivery of material was begun at once. Skilled mechanics returned to various jobs where work was resumed immediately, while thousands made preparations for returning within the next few days. By the end of the week it is expected between 100,000 and 120,000 men, idle since May 5th, will be at work.

Prince Gustave, Crown Prince of Sweden and Norway, has announced his intention of visiting the St. Louis exposition.

When a woman is nervous her imagination gives fantastic and threatening shapes to the most familiar objects. In day she starts in fear at every machine or unfamiliar sound. By night the furniture of her room takes on a frightening form of ghost or goblin. You can't reason with the nerves. Neither logic nor force can quiet them. They must be nourished and then the outcry of the nerves will cease as naturally as a hungry child ceases to cry when fed.



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Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY

The Dividend—Large Increase Reported in Land Sales.

Montreal, June 10.—The Star's London cable says: "General satisfaction is expressed at the Hudson's Bay Company's dividend. The actual dividend is 22 1/2 shillings per share, the same as last year; £90,700 is carried forward as compared with £61,247. This is an increase equalling six shillings per share. In addition the company has received £2 per share, so that the proprietors received altogether £3 1/2, whereas the market expected only three. The reduction in capital is made out of the proceeds of land sales, which amounted to £117,800, as compared with £69,700 the previous year."

THE FLOOD SITUATION.

It Is Impossible to Obtain Confirmation of Reports of Drownings.

St. Louis, June 10.—The utmost confusion reigns in East St. Louis and it is impossible to confirm any of the reports of drownings which may aggregate fifty, but which are probably much less. All railroad and wagon communication with East St. Louis has been cut off. Refugees from East St. Louis are allowed to use the viaduct. Although the water has entered the first floors of the buildings occupied by the telegraph and telephone companies, the instruments have been elevated out of its reach, and the managers say they will maintain service to the last minute.

THE BUDGET DEBATE.

Sir Charles Dike Denies Protectionist Countries Are Hurting Great Britain.

London, June 10.—The budget debate was continued in the House of Commons this afternoon. Sir Charles Dike, advanced Radical, contended that the House had the right to demand an opportunity for pronouncing judgment on this important fiscal question. The speaker denied that protectionist countries were cutting out Great Britain from the markets of the world. Germany had not even hurt Great Britain's market in South America, and when one considered the great natural advantages of the United States; her size and her highly cultivated population, it was marvellous that she had not years ago attained the first place in trade. The commerce of the United States had progressed independently of protection, but it had been retarded rather than advanced by the adoption of protection.

HAIRSMITH'S ENTERPRISE.

Will Establish the Largest Paper Concern in the World.

A dispatch from Halifax, N. S., says: "The announcement made a few days ago that the Newfoundland Timber Estates, Limited, of St. John's, N. S., of Boston, and B. F. Pearson, of Halifax, are interested, had taken over the lumber areas of Lewis Miller, of Scotland, created considerable interest among lumbermen generally throughout Canada. It now transpires that most of this property has been taken over temporarily by the Whitney Syndicate, and that they will operate it only for the remainder of this season. This property, which is the largest in Newfoundland, will then be taken over by the Harmsworths, the big London publishers. Mr. Beeten, the Harmsworths' hydraulic engineer, has spent considerable time looking over possible propositions for the establishment of a paper mill in the world. The Harmsworths will make in all an investment of about \$10,000,000 in the purchase and equipment of their new Newfoundland enterprise.

"Mr. Beeten, in his search for suitable pulp lands, has visited Russia, Finland, Norway, Sweden, New Brunswick, and this province, as well as Ontario. The property he has now decided on consists of over one million acres, and the lands are on the Exploits river, Indian lake, Lloyd's river, Lloyd's lake, King George's lake, Victoria river and Victoria lake. It is estimated that these lands contain hundreds of millions of feet of spruce pulpwood. The watershed is over 2,000 square miles, and with the supply of water from such an area the Harmsworths will never be troubled by scarcity of water supply. The Exploits river, after leaving Indian lake, shoots over a shelf of rock, falling a height of 85 feet. It is the enormous water power thus obtainable that decided Beeten on choosing Newfoundland.

"The Harmsworths, in the operation of this undertaking, propose to proceed along the most scientific lines. The Harmsworths think they will be the pioneer scientific foresters of British North America. On the fall of the Exploits river, which is known as Grand Falls, the Harmsworths will locate a mechanical pulp mill, a sulphide pulp mill, and a paper mill capable of producing one thousand tons of paper per week. This amount of paper will be used entirely by the Harmsworths themselves in issuing their 30 publications, which include Harmsworth's Magazine and the London Daily Mail. Mr. Beeten will return to Newfoundland in the autumn, and after taking delivery of the property, will commence operations towards the completion of the plant at Indian lake.

"It is estimated that the time necessary to erect the two pulp mills and the paper mill will be two or three years. Recently pulp has been produced in Norway and Sweden, and large quantities have been shipped to the English market from Canada, but Messrs. Harmsworth say they are not looking to the immediate future; they are providing for the next 25 years, when they anticipate that pulp manufacturers and lumber operators, proceeding along the present lines, will have exhausted all the convenient supplies of timber. It is with a view of this that they have taken their present step to insure their supply of pulp being in their own hands.

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THE PRESBYTERIAN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REV. DR. FLETCHER ELECTED MODERATOR

Rev. Dr. Bryce Reviewed the Events of the Past Year in the Church.

The 1908 General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada held its first session in St. Andrew's church, Vancouver, on Wednesday evening, when Rev. Dr. E. H. Fletcher, of Hamilton, was elected moderator for the session. The new moderator is in his first year, and has been a pastor under the jurisdiction of the Canadian assembly for 43 years, 31 of which have been spent in the incumbency which he at present holds in Hamilton, Ont.

Rev. Dr. Bryce, of Winnipeg, moderator, opened the session, and, after the customary exercises, ascended the pulpit and delivered a powerful and impressive exhortation to the ministers present. Dr. Bryce took for his text, "I am doing a great work and cannot come down," from Nehemiah. His address was a clear exposition of the high calling of the ministry, pointing out the importance and deep responsibility of the work which was so solemn and exacting in its obligations, if faithfully performed, to allow the minister to give his time and attention to trivial matters. The preacher ended his sermon with a prayer for more students for the ministry, that the ministry might be kept from trifles, true to its duty and full of zeal, and earnest and willing to serve God anywhere that He might call.

A hymn, "Work for the Night is Coming," having followed the sermon, Dr. Bryce briefly reviewed the events of the past year in the church. The progress made in the home mission work by appointments, the buoyancy experienced in finances, the prevailing harmony, were touched upon. The regretted deaths of Rev. Dr. Munro Fraser, Rev. Dr. John Thompson, Rev. Dr. McViears and of Sir Oliver Mowat, were feelingly referred to, the speaker expressing the sentiment that the memory of such men as these should not be let pass lightly away. He concluded his remarks by stating that it was now his duty to ask the assembly to nominate his successor as moderator.

Rev. Dr. Lyle, of Hamilton, then reviewed the session of the assembly. Dr. Fletcher, of Hamilton, in doing so he paid high tribute to his abilities, stating that he was a living embodiment of the Gospel he had preached for 43 years, and no more fitting reward for his faithful service could be given him than this position, the highest in the gift of the church, in his concluding year of active service. Rev. E. D. McLaren, D.D., and Rev. Dr. Campbell, rose simultaneously to second the motion.

Rev. M. R. Scott, of Hull, Que., moved as an amendment that Rev. Dr. Armstrong, of St. Paul, Ottawa, be appointed, Rev. Dr. Scrimger, of Montreal, seconding the amendment.

Dr. Armstrong asked that his name be withdrawn in favor of Dr. Fletcher. The assembly consenting to this, Dr. Fletcher was then elected by a unanimous vote.

The new moderator having been escorted to his seat by the mover and seconder, and greeted by the retiring moderator, thanked the assembly for the high honor conferred upon him. His ambition in the service had been to be a faithful preacher of the Word of God, and a faithful pastor in the service of the church. Next to the favor of God he esteemed the good will and favor of his brethren in electing him moderator of the first general assembly to be held on the Pacific Coast.

The clerk then read the message received from His Majesty the King, in reply to the message from the last assembly, congratulating him upon the termination of the war.

Dr. Armstrong then moved a vote of thanks to the retiring moderator for his sermon and supervision of the assembly work during the year. Rev. Dr. Somerville seconded the motion, which was carried.

The assembly decided to hold three sessions a day, viz., 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m. to 5:45 p.m., and 7:45 to 10 p.m.

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SPORT IN FISHING.

Rules Adopted By the Fish and Game Association at Their Meeting.

The Fish and Game Association met last evening in the rooms of the Tourist Association. Chas. Hayward, the president, reported with respect to ladders and the preparing of fish in Shawigan and lake. Mr. Fernelan, he stated, had met the executive, but was not in a position to give a definite answer until he had made a study of the fish in the lake. A report would be forthcoming at the next meeting.

The subject of sportsmanlike conduct came up for discussion in connection with the following rules submitted as prepared by Mr. Mann:

- To observe faithfully the close seasons.
- Not to kill knowingly the female of game of any species, the increase of which it is desirable to encourage.
- Not to kill game, or game fish, in an immature condition.
- To return to the water all immature and out of condition game fish.
- To observe as the standard of mature trout fish those exceeding eight inches in length.
- To content yourself with the bringing home of bags of game and catches of fish not exceeding:

- To one man per diem, fish over 8 inches and under 10 inches, 12; over 10 inches, 24.
- Grouse, 15; pheasants, 8; or mixed bags, 18; or deer, 2 (and no fawns).
- Generally to observe the existing game laws.
- Not to go upon land for sporting purposes against the wishes of the owner.
- If, in the excitement engendered by sport, the above suggested limit is exceeded, to report the catch or kill faithfully to the committee, and pay, voluntarily, such a fine, for the benefit of the association, as they may impose (not exceeding \$5).
- To reprobate with any member of offending against these conditions, and to give information in all cases to the association.
- To make observations and report to the association upon all sporting incidents and matters which may assist the objects.
- To advocate and impress the observance of these conditions upon all fellow sportsmen.
- To assist fellow members with information conducive to good sport.
- To treat your dog, your gun and your rod kindly.
- To discourage the killing of fish in other than sportsmanlike manner; that is, with rod and line, ground baiting, ledgering with heavy leads and paternoster fishing, artificial light, is deprecated.
- True sport in fishing can only be enjoyed by angling.

The rules were considered carefully. The length of fish to be taken called forth a great deal of comment. It was finally decided to fix the length at eight inches instead of seven.

Herbert Outburt explained that the organization had been fostered by the Tourist Association, not for the benefit of visitors alone, but quite as much for the sake of the residents of Victoria and vicinity. Mr. Munger thought that residents of outside districts could be induced to join the organization.

Capt. Barclay and Mr. Shaw were asked to call a meeting at Dunsmuir for the purpose of forming a local committee to work in conjunction with the association. The executive will send a deputation to the meeting called.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

DRAMATIC RECITAL by Miss Maude Underhill and her pupils, June 10th, 1908, at 8 o'clock, at the Victoria Theatre. Admission 25c.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Victoria Creamery Association up to 30th June, 1908, for the combined offices of Secretary-Treasurer and Collector for the Association; security required; state salary expected. Particulars at work, etc., can be had from the President or Secretary. Address all applications to President Victoria Creamery Association, Box 908, City.

OUR DAILY PUZZLE



AUNT LUCY AND UNCLE SI DIDN'T CARE MUCH FOR THE CIRCUS THIS YEAR, BUT COUSIN RUBE THOUGHT IT WAS GREAT—CAN YOU SEE THEM?

In yesterday's puzzle, by using the upper part of the picture as base, the gentleman who sent the roses is found in the lower left corner.

WANTS.

THE POSITION OF VERGER at Christ Church Cathedral is vacant. Candidates are requested to apply by letter addressed to the Rector.

WANTED—Girl to do light housework in small family. Apply at 275 Fort Street.

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FOR SALE—Furniture of small house; call evenings. 1534 Superior street.

FOR SALE—\$50 sewing machine, New Home Climax, for \$25. Apply 60 Third street, before 2 p.m.

FOR SALE—Good building lots in the Work Estate; prices from \$150 upwards, on monthly payments. Helander & Co.

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FOR SALE—Thoroughbred fox terrier puppies, even marked. Apply G. Florence, Scotch Bakery, 103 Douglas street.

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FOR SALE—A Victoria phaeton, property of Robert Irving, Esq.; may be seen at my residence, corner of Cook and View streets; will be sold at best offer. John B. Lovell.

FOR SALE—Old newspapers; 200 for 25c. Apply Times Office.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, June 11.—5 a. m.—The pressure is highest on the Coast and slightly rising again; a trough of low pressure extends from the Kootenays and the Rockies southward to California and Nevada. The weather is cloudy in the immediate Coast, but fairer inland, and temperatures are normal. In the Northwest a vast high barometer area is central in Manitoba and the weather is general.

Forecasts.

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Friday. Victoria and vicinity—Light or moderate southerly winds, generally fair and smoky, with stationary or higher temperature. Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, fair and warm.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 56; minimum, 53; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy. New Westminster—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 55; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy. Kamloops—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, 64; minimum, 64; wind, calm; weather, fair. Barkerville—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 46; minimum, 44; wind, calm; rain, .10; weather, clear. San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 59; minimum, 48; wind, 10 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

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REGARDING PAYING TEACHERS' SALARIES

In Ten Monthly Installments—Other Matters Before School Board Last Night.

The school board sat for nearly three hours last night. During that time they were employed in transacting business which could have been dispatched in an hour and a half. True the programme was a well-filled one, but there was nothing of tremendous importance in it.

Among the matters which came up last night was the manner of paying teachers' salaries. As will be remembered, at the instance of the board a council of public instruction approved of a rule providing that they be paid in ten monthly installments. A majority of the teachers last night protested against the operation of the regulation this year, so it was decided to ask the council of public instruction to suspend the clause until the end of June 1904.

There were present at the meeting Chairman Drury, Trustees Mrs. Jenkins, Huggett, Jay and Boggs, and the latter two who had just returned from up the line.

Messrs. Johns Bros. wrote offering a supply of wood for fuel at \$3.15 per cord. This was referred to the finance committee.

The superintendent of education asked permission to use the High school building for the teachers' examinations to be held in July. Permission was granted.

The janitor of the North Ward school called attention to some repairs necessary in the building. Referred to the building and grounds committee with power to act.

The city clerk informed the board that the council considered that a petition was required before a by-law authorizing the expenditure of \$50,000 on school buildings could be submitted to the ratepayers. The board were, therefore, requested to forward this petition.

Trustee Boggs explained that owing to the attitude of large property holders the committee were unable to secure sufficient realty representation—about \$1,000,000—in the petition circulated, to ensure the submission of the by-law. He moved that a committee urge upon the department of education to secure an amendment to the act which would render a petition unnecessary.

Trustee Jay didn't think it would be wise to pass this resolution as it was not established that the council's contention was correct. He moved that the latter be requested to reconsider the matter and obtain the opinion of the city barrister and communicate it to the board.

Trustee Boggs thereupon withdrew his motion and seconded that of Trustee Jay. Some discussion ensued, during which the urgent need of the erection of new school buildings was alluded to. It was pointed out that during the election campaign the candidates had pledged themselves to do their utmost to bring about the erection of a school in Victoria West.

Trustee Boggs said that not only was a new school badly needed in Victoria West, but there was a crying necessity for additional accommodation in the central part of the city.

The chairman observed that the committee had worked hard to obtain a sufficient number of signatures. The small property owners were agreeable, but the larger ones refused to sign it. The motion by Trustee Jay was passed.

Messrs. Binns and Waddington wrote accepting their appointments as instructors in the Manual Training school subject to confirmation by a written agreement. Referred to the secretary and the secretary with the instructors regarding the contract and report back to the board.

H. Duncannan communicated the qualifications of the manual training staff. Filed. J. E. Coates, secretary of the Teachers' Institute, thanked the board for permission to close the schools at 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon quarterly. Received and filed.

Miss Potts wanted to know why her last cheque was for \$95 instead of \$80, her authorized salary. The board did not appear to know the reason, so the matter was referred to the finance committee for report.

The secretary of the Agricultural Association asked for the board's co-operation in securing a children's exhibit at the forthcoming exhibition. He enclosed a prize list taken from last year.

Trustee Boggs hoped that the matter would be taken up by the schools, and that they would not be as backward as they were last year.

Trustees Jay and Mrs. Jenkins announced to the inferior accommodation and location given the school exhibit at the last exhibition.

The city superintendent pointed out that the question of accommodation was not the only difficulty. There was another and very serious one—the time at which the exhibition was held. The splendid exhibit on two months ago could not be prepared in September. There was also another feature. The exhibit should not only be attractive, but of educational value to the schools. The prize list enclosed was unsuitable, and would have to be amended.

It was decided on motion of Trustee Huggett to draw Secretary Swinnerton's attention to the objections alluded to by the city superintendent.

The members of the teaching staff petitioned the board in favor of the continuation of the present method of paying salaries instead of in ten equal installments as contemplated.

Trustee Huggett moved that the petitioners be advised that the board did not see its way clear to reconsider the question, and that the ten-month arrangement prevail.

Trustee Jay said he did not think the teachers would object provided they were given sufficient notification as to the time of the enforcement of the rule. They

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feared that they would miss a month's pay through it.

The chairman said that rule was to be enforced at the beginning of the school year.

Trustee Jay pointed out that in this event for one month the teachers would be without their salaries, which would work a hardship. It would be made up, of course, by June next year.

In order to make the discussion clear the rule is herein reproduced. It is as follows: "Beginning with the school year 1903-04 the salaries of all teachers shall be paid in ten equal monthly installments on the last day of each month from September to June inclusive."

Trustee Jay moved, seconded by Trustee Mrs. Jenkins, that the council of public instruction be requested to suspend the operation of that rule until June 30th, 1904. The teachers should have twelve months' notice of its enforcement.

The city superintendent pointed out that the regulation had not come into the teachers' hands until the first of May, which was rather short notice. All objection would be removed by the suspension of the clause for a year.

The motion was proposed and carried just as Trustee Hall put in a late appearance. He heard the news philosophically, but expressed his opposition to the action of the board.

The city superintendent submitted his usual monthly attendance report, which has already been published in the press. Filed.

The building and grounds committee recommended that concrete be substituted for wood in the High school steps. This recommendation was approved, the cost being the same.

The committee also submitted the following report, which should prove of interest to the teachers:

The committee appointed to confer with the superintendent of education in reference to the payment of substitutes for teachers who attended the Revelstoke convention respectfully reports that a conference was held as directed, and that the committee received from the superintendent an assurance that permission granted by the department to attend the Provincial Teachers' Association did not in any way release teachers from the obligation to obtain the consent of their respective boards of trustees to their absence; and that in case of any such absence it was entirely within the prerogative of the city school trustees to require the teachers to pay for any necessary substitute service.

The committee was further assured that as far as possible arrangements would be made in the future to avoid any conflict between the interests of the schools and the interests of the teachers.

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view of these assurances, that whatever expense for substitutes was incurred in this way on the occasion of the recent Teachers' Institute be met by the board.

In presenting this report Trustee Boggs explained that the only expense for substitutes was \$15. The teacher for whom that substitute was provided was evidently ignorant of the relation she bore to the school board. Instead of applying for permission to go to the convention the teacher notified the board that she was going. The report was adopted.

The finance committee recommended the appropriation of \$243.23 for the usual purposes. Adopted.

Trustee Jay, on behalf of the committee appointed to consider the feasibility of establishing a teachers' training department in the High school, reported that a class for teachers in training could be efficiently conducted, and need not entail any serious addition to the cost of equipment or maintenance of the school. They recommended that a committee be appointed to wait upon the minister of education to discuss the matter.

Trustee Jay commented on the advantage which would result from such a department in the High school, making it necessary for teachers to go to the Vancouver Normal school. An addition probably would have to be made to the staff, but the expense involved could be met by the imposition of a fee on those taking the course.

Trustee Huggett spoke on similar lines. The chairman appointed the same committee to act in the matter.

Mrs. Jenkins brought up the question of introducing domestic science in the schools, and she moved that steps be taken to procure a teacher. The Women's Council, she pointed out, were prepared to supply the equipment. The motion was carried.

Trustee Jay moved that an architect be appointed by ballot to report on the repairs necessary to the various schools, the work to be done as usual during the holidays. Maxwell Muir was appointed. The building and grounds committee were requested to submit a report on a new boiler in the High school.

The superintendent drew attention to the fact that there were a number of unsettled salary questions which should be adjusted as soon as possible. It was decided to refer the matter to the City Solicitor. The teachers who have been recently absent on account of illness, should receive their full salaries for the first ten days, and that hereafter they be paid the difference between their salaries and the amounts paid to their respective substitutes.

The meeting afterwards adjourned.

LICENSING BOARD.

Some of the Applications Were Granted—Others Stood Over Until Next Sitting.

The board of licensing commissioners yesterday afternoon extended the temporary license for the Lechman house, applied for by Geo. Stokes, until an amendment was passed by the legislature, which would obviate the difficulty caused by the sudden departure of the previous holder without signing the application. City Solicitor Bradburn expressed the opinion that such an amendment would be granted.

The applications for transfers of the Dawson hotel, California saloon, Steele's saloon and Colonial hotel licenses were granted.

The application of J. H. H. Hindmarsh, executrix of the estate of Thos. Hindmarsh, for the ratification of a permit for the extension of the temporary transfer of the Pioneer saloon license to herself was granted.

Nobody appearing on behalf of the applicants of the estate of Thos. Hindmarsh, for the transfer of the bottle license to the West End Grocery Co., and of Chas. J. Turk for a transfer of the Olmstead saloon license to John Barrett, temporary permits were extended to the next sitting.

Applications for transfers of the Colonial hotel, International hotel and Windsor hotel licenses were left over until the next sitting, temporary permits being granted in the meantime.

At Wednesday's session of the World's Women's Christian Temperance Union convention at Geneva, Father Hyacinthe addressed the delegates, urging an agitation in favor of submitting international difficulties to the international court of arbitration at The Hague.

CELEBRATED BY BANQUET.

B. C. Permanent Loan & Savings Company Honors Opening of a Branch—Office Here.

The opening of the Victoria branch of the British Columbia Permanent Loan & Savings Company was celebrated last evening by a very enjoyable banquet at the Vernon hotel. President Thomas Langlois presided, and among the guests were: Hon. Mr. McBride, Mayor Mansel, Geo. J. Threlk, of Vancouver, secretary-treasurer of the company; the Martin, a Vancouver director of the company; Hon. A. Smith, United States Consul; David Spencer, South Shakespear and other prominent citizens.

A most inviting array of delectables graced the festive board, the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, having omitted no detail to make this very necessary department an elaborate feature of the function. Toasts were proposed and responded to, the usual honors to His Majesty the King heading the list. Songs and speeches completed a delightful programme. All the speakers alluded to the very favorable outlook for Victoria and the inauguration of the branch of the British Columbia Permanent Loan & Savings Company was regarded as indicative of their confidence in the future of the place.

The company starts in with a large local membership. It held its first local meeting yesterday at 7.30 p.m., at the office on Government street, and passed a respectable amount of business for one evening, granting 18 loans, aggregating \$16,350. None of these loans were to Victoria applicants, but to applicants in Vancouver, New Westminster, Calgary and Sidney, Cape Breton.

The company has opened handsome offices at 39 Government street.

THE NAVY LEAGUE.

Election of Officers Took Place at the Monthly Meeting Yesterday.

The monthly meeting of the committee of the Navy League was held in the secretary's office yesterday afternoon. Capt. E. Barkley, R. N., presiding. There were also present A. R. Fraser, sr., Capt. J. G. Cox, Ald. Vincent, J. Peterson and C. E. Redfern. In the volume of correspondence from the parent league, which was received, special attention was given to the letter indicating that the third edition of the Navy League map of the world has been issued, and in order to put this forward as an educational aid the secretary was requested to bring it to the attention of the superintendent of education, with the view, if possible, of having it introduced in the schools of the province.

The secretary reported having supplied certain literature as well as the monthly journal to the newly organized Y. M. C. A. in this city, and the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Esquimalt. The action was approved.

The election of president for the ensuing year was next on the agenda, and with one unanimous voice Hon. Mr. Justice Martin was voted to again fill that position. Although it is known that His Lordship's idea has been that the office should be passed round, yet it is earnestly hoped by the society that he will, in the true interests of the league, allow the expression of the members to prevail and accord his valued and appreciated services for another year. The vice-presidents elected were: The Lord Bishop of Columbia, Capt. E. Barkley, R. N., Capt. J. Devereux, A. B. Fraser, sr., and W. H. Hayward, M. P. P. The foregoing, together with the following, form the managing committee for the coming year: Col. E. G. Prior, M. P. P., Roland Stuart, J. Peterson, Capt. J. G. Cox, Capt. J. Gaudin, Ald. Vincent, W. H. Langley, C. E. Redfern, Capt. O. E. Clarke, Capt. J. Walburn, Mayor A. G. McCandless, J. E. Jeffcott, R. Wall, G. W. Whooten, F. L. Neale and J. V. Rebbeck.

The Hon. Sir Henry P. C. Crease, K. B., to whom this branch of the league owes very much as its first president, was unanimously elected an honorary member of the league.

The meeting then adjourned.

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King Alexander was not a good man. His Queen as a woman was no shining example to her subjects or to the world. Little is known about their ministers of state, but it may be taken for granted that they were men after their king's own heart or they would never have submitted to the suspension of the constitution and presumably of the liberties of the people. But that they should have been foully and brutally murdered by a gang of assassins in the name of freedom and liberty is a dark blot upon the civilization of Europe. Whether the great powers will recognize the claims of the usurper in whose interests the assassins operated must remain for a little while one of the problems of the day. Any attempt to bring the murderers to justice would assuredly lead to serious complications. Then there is no means of computing how far a conflagration started in that inflammable region would spread. The rights of quasi-independent states to manage their own affairs in their own way we suppose must be maintained no matter what fate overtakes individuals. However, the direct event proves that Turkey is not the only sinner in Europe worthy of the consideration of the immaculate states.

EXPLOITERS AND PARASITES.

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy has been saying some very "ill-natured" things about British Columbia since he arrived in the East. Generally we cannot say that we agree with all Sir Thomas says, but as the head of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company is an important personage in this country, and as his new policy towards Victoria has invested him with an increased interest locally, particular attention will always be paid to any remarks he may choose to make, especially when such references are particularly directed at British Columbia. When Sir Thomas arrived in Montreal after his recent visit to the coast he proceeded to relieve his mind to a Witness reporter in regard to our affairs generally and to our politics particularly. He said the tin-pot politics of British Columbia were simply disgusting. Into the alleged land deal the C. P. R. should never have been brought at all, a procedure which was utterly unjustifiable, though of course there had been rectification at last, but it seemed as if each minister in the government was trying to knife his colleague in connection with matters which should be dealt with solely in the public interest. This was a spectacle which certainly, in the interest of the province, should not be continued. The whole thing was small and tawdry to a degree.

"When the session was on, the lobby of the House, the hotels, were filled with men who were arranging, or pretending to arrange, great railway schemes in which millions of dollars were involved. The promoters had not a five-dollar bill between them. Nevertheless, a vote was taken on the house; the motion, perhaps, was lost. There might be a resignation; there might be a switching off from one side to the other; there might perhaps be a new election. But thus the business went on to the detriment of the best interests of the province. Sir Thomas had ventured to say that it was not brilliant railway schemes which the province needed, but the turning of the serious attention to irrigation works in order that farming might be profitably carried on. And this could be done, for there was some fine farming land in the province. Indeed, he thought it was of the utmost moment that the attention should be turned to farming, which was a practical subject, instead of wasting so much energy upon these schemes, which had no real substance in them, or upon politics, which were employed chiefly for the exploitation of selfish ends."


It must in all candor be admitted that there is a sufficient element of truth in the case as thus presented to arrest the attention of the people of the province and lead them to a determination to inaugurate a new era. Nor are the conditions as thus forcefully presented entirely new in British Columbia. They have existed for many years under the different governments which have held power. Unfortunately for the province, during the period mentioned, the operations of the grafters had been reduced to a tolerably exact science, and the Legislature was "worked for all it was worth." A few more years of such rule and the province would have been stripped to the bones. Apropos of this subject, the public will not have failed to note that the old gang which did the picking in the past is rapidly dining up behind the new administration. They were at first disposed to buck, but when they realized that failure to pull together might result in the return of a reform administration they speedily sank their differences and joined hands. The whip of the party, vigorously applied, speedily opened the eyes of the Colonist to its duty. The whole force will fight in line for power. It will divide against itself again, if it should succeed in laying its hands upon the spoils.

LEADERS AND POLICIES.

Mr. Robert Cassidy waves his hand majestically and grandly as he commands the proletariat of the Conservative party to stand aside and submit to the judgment of their divinely ordained leaders. The rank and file are welcome to come forward and cast their votes for the Lord's anointed after they have been educated up to the point from which they can comprehend the depth of the principles of Conservatism as about to be applied locally, but until the aristocracy of talent have taken counsel together and decided what shall be done for the benefit of the masses, the least that can be asked is that the men who by some inconceivably unfortunate combination of circumstances have been given votes shall stand respectfully aside and permit their ordained leaders, not the least of whom is Mr. Cassidy, to think for them.

Now we wonder—if Mr. Cassidy can be the individual the Colonist had in view when it flouted Mr. McBride, called him a man of infantile mind, and applied various contemptuous and derisive terms to his pretensions as a leader of men. The Premier of the present day was held up to scorn and contumely on many occasions because of alleged lack of capacity. Here is what the Colonist said upon one occasion when it condescended to reason with its readers and Mr. McBride upon the political situation:

"The Liberal party has acted precisely upon the lines the Conservative party should act upon if it is wise, and we believe on the lines upon which the Conservative party will act, with or without the consent of the present ministry. We do not see how any Conservative candidate can be pledged to support Premier McBride unless his constituents choose to so pledge him. It is quite evident that no shuffling in the administrative carrels across James Bay has any binding force upon the electors of the province. If the Conservative party in different constituencies in the province chooses to pledge its candidates to support Premier McBride, these candidates will be so pledged, if the party does not so choose the candidates will not be pledged. Our Liberal friends might be inclined to say that there were many other differences, but of this difference between the Conservative party and the Kingdom of Heaven we are quite certain, namely, that it does not suffer violence, and that the violent do not take it by force. Candidates who are not pledged to support Premier McBride need not for that reason cease to be Conservatives, nor be guilty of any disloyalty to their party. If Premier McBride were to resign, the result would be a great deal of trouble would be saved. The purely temporary character of the present government would be disclosed. The continuance in office of Mr. McBride is either the issue in the coming campaign, or it is not. If it is, then the issue is not whether the Conservative party shall rule the country or not, but whether Mr. McBride shall rule the Conservative party or not. That is an issue for the Conservative party to decide, not the country. Before the McBride out of office is to return the Liberal party to office. But it can be decided, if Mr. McBride consents to leave his leadership to the majority of Conservatives elected at the polls. A good deal certainly depends upon Mr. McBride. It is entirely an unfair demand to ask that every Conservative vote cast in the election shall be a vote of confidence in him. If he makes that demand then not only he, but the party, must take the consequences. Colonel Prior made no such demand as that. Why should the Hon. Richard McBride make it? There are many Conservatives, who for conscience and in honor, cannot accede to that demand. Is their only alternative to be a vote for a Liberal, or abstention? It is a radically unfair request, and voters do unpleasant things to politicians who make unfair requests. A few days ago we heard Premier McBride asseverate with eloquence and force that the opposition party held the confidence of the country. If that is so, and he at least must have believed at, which



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section of the late opposition party continues to hold the confidence of the country? Or has it been split up evenly between the two sections? Or when Mr. McBride spoke, did he mean that the confidence of the country rested in himself personally? Presumably from his present position that is what Mr. McBride did mean, and what he proposes to present to the country as a political issue."

But in publishing this scathing rebuke of the pretensions of the Premier, it is but fair to admit that the guardians appointed to direct the policy of our country, after a hiatus of several days during which it had no political opinions at all, and which were no doubt spent in fasting, prayer, and wrestling with temptation to speak the truth, have succeeded in reducing the rebellious spirit to order. The Colonist abandons the Colonel, recognizes Mr. McBride as its chief, admits that he shall rule the Conservative party, and proclaims that that party is now, or will be when the fight begins, "homogeneous and united." We congratulate the board of guardians on their great moral victory. They are evidently not troubled with any inconvenient scruples about loyalty to leaders when faithfulness and steadfastness may involve lack of opportunity and personal loss.

Some of the Vancouver papers are brutally frank. Victoria Conservatives will agree with us when we point out, about the possible effects of the change of government. We ask permission of Hon. A. E. McPhillips to call his attention to the following from the Ledger: "Vancouver has not been forgotten in the make-up of Premier McBride's cabinet at any rate, and it is time that the largest city in the province had its innings. Victoria has for many years played the political game well; it has anchored for all time the capital. There are other things, however, to look after, and a cabinet with a strong representation from Vancouver can do a vast amount of good for this city and the Mainland. We want roads, bridges and trails, and it is just as well to let Victoria worry along for a few years with the splendid system of roads surrounding that city, while Vancouver handles the purse."

Now the critics of Great Britain have seized upon some fine material for censure. They say the war in South Africa was a result of the refusal of the Transvaal government to allow any but citizens of the state to a voice in the public affairs of the country. It is claimed the British government is now applying the same rule. Our contemporaries across the line in their eagerness to make a point suppress the facts. The Transvaal nationalization laws under the policy of Kruger were purposely arranged so that British subjects could practically not qualify at all for citizenship, and this despite the admitted fact that the state was under British suzerainty. Under the new government all white British subjects will be eligible for the franchise.

chise. The Boers are British subjects. Only the ignorant natives will be disqualified. And when they reach a reasonable standard of political comprehension they, too, will be admitted to full citizenship in the state. The position of Great Britain does not suffer in comparison with that of the United States in this matter of political liberty and privilege. The natives of the Philippine Islands have not been admitted to a full enjoyment of the glorious and effulgent freedom which pervades all lands over which the beneficent stars and stripes flies. The colored men of the Southern States are being disfranchised under a law which is frankly admitted to have been specially framed for the purpose. Great Britain may have something to learn from the United States, but upon the subject of the treatment of her citizens, of whatsoever degree, in whatsoever clime, it is not necessary for her to follow the example of the republic.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer admits that "the police conditions in Seattle are very much amiss." We should think they are, if a judgment may be formed from a perusal of the columns of our contemporary. Murders, suicides, all manner of outrages, abominations and inequities abound. Means of putting an end to the hellish carnival which is held in the city nightly are suggested. Our opinion is that such a fumigation as was resorted to in the case of Sodam and Gomorrah might prove efficacious—if fire could live in the midst of such a horrible moral stench.

The editor of the Vancouver World undertakes to pronounce judgment upon the favor of Victoria water. What next?

LOSS AND GAIN.

Ellen Thorneycroft Fowler.

I sorrowed that the golden day was dead, its light no more the countryside adorning; But whilst I grieved, behold! the east grew red!

With morning.

I sighed that merry spring was forced to go And off the wreaths that did so well become her;

But whilst I mourned at her absence, lo—'Twas summer.

I mourned because the daffodils were killed, seemed nearer!

By burning skies that scorched my early posies;

But whilst for these I pined, my hands were filled

With roses.

Half broken-hearted I bewailed the end Of friendship, then which came had once

But whilst I wept I found a newer friend, And dearer.

And thus I learned old pleasures are estranged, Only that something better may be given; Until at last we find the earth exchanged For heaven.

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—The total clearings at the Victoria clearing house for the week ending 9th June, 1903, were \$223,177.

—Capital lodge, Degree of Honor, will meet at the A. O. U. W. hall to-night. After the close of the business one of the members will give a mind-reading exhibition.

—A special meeting of the Daughters of Pitt is called for Friday, June 12th, at 4 p. m. in the city hall. As this is an important meeting, all members are urged to be present.

—Poles for the new Congregational church on the corner of Blanchard street and Pandora avenue are expected from the East. It is expected that the edifice will be opened on the last Sunday of this month, or the first of July.

—J. H. Scott, M. E., who was formerly identified with the Britannia mine, intends leaving on the next Empress en route to Malay Peninsula. He is taking a party of about eight miners to work for a company operating there.

—Over on the Songhees reservation are a number of wolves in captivity, which will probably be offered to the management of the Norris & Rowe show when it visits Victoria. There are four of the animals, which were brought from about 100 miles up the coast.

—The register of the Tourist Association shows that this season promises to be an important one with respect to visitors. The names entered on the books of the association for June have this year varied from about ten to twenty a day. Last year during the same season the average was not greater than five or six daily.

—On Tuesday morning the employees of Mulhearn & Mann's mill successfully fought a fire which endangered the valuable property in the neighborhood. Shortly after 7 o'clock a fire was noticed on the approach to an old wharf on the south side of the mill. The fire hose was run out from a hydrant in the yard, and the blaze was soon extinguished. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

—The Indian tribes from Cowichan, Nitinat, Kuper Island, Saanich and Victoria will assemble at the Catholic church, Quamichan, next Sunday morning, to celebrate the feast of Corpus Christi. Archbishop-elect Orth and a large number of priests will be in attendance. Two Indian bands will perform music, and a procession will form part of the celebration, in which over one thousand Indians will take part.

—The transportation and railway men of Victoria have decided to form a baseball team and obtain a few scraps from the wholesale grocers, lawyers, or any other combination who wish to go up against them. They will commence practicing immediately. The team will be formed from staffs of the C. P. R., N. P. R., E. & N. railway, Pacific Coast Steamship Co., B. C. Electric railway and Great Northern railway.

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—Do not forget the fact that Weller Bros. are showing some very superior things in "Bretby ware," including fern pots, flower vases, etc.

—Under selling shoe sale at 56 Fort street, of ladies' misses', boys', youths' and little girls' boots and shoes for working, walking, school and dress. Come and see the bargains. You won't be misled or disappointed. This is the genuine, not a copy, not a shadow. Our wares are in truth. We do not adopt the methods of other shoe bargains for this month. C. Nangle, 56 Fort street.

—Crops in Saanich are described as looking exceedingly well for this time of the year. It is said that there is a larger acreage under cultivation this year than ever before, and a very noticeable feature of the farms are the big number of young orchards which have been set out. A drive through the district is a pleasure which at this time of the year is most charming, and one which would convince any one of the progress that has everywhere been made. The latest irrigation methods have been employed by many farmers, and a golden harvest is anticipated.

—At the Sir William Wallace hall last evening a concert was given under the auspices of True Blue lodge. There was a good attendance, and an enjoyable programme was rendered. Rev. Mr. Westman occupied the chair, and opened the proceedings by a brief address. The following were among those who contributed: Mr. Desjardins, vocal solo; Miss Wilby, recitation; Miss Auld, vocal solo; Mr. Semple, recitation; Miss Strickland, recitation; Miss Lawrence, vocal solo; Mrs. Crawford, vocal solo; Miss Graham, vocal solo; Miss Spence, piano solo; Mr. Charlesworth, vocal solo. Refreshments were served during the evening.

—The five seamen from the Robert Adamson who were arrested yesterday afternoon, charged with refusing lawful demands of the captain, were heard in the provincial police court this morning. The men were represented by J. W. Wall, and gave as their excuse that the vessel of the vessel had been torn away in the repairs which were being made, and that in consequence their quarters were made untenable. It was finally agreed that the men would go back to work, and that their quarters were in shape. The case was accordingly adjourned for a week in order to allow of this. If the men in the meantime fail to return they will not be required to appear.

—Officers and members of Banner lodge, No. 6, A. O. U. W., have decided to hold an excursion to New Westminster over the new route on the 28th inst. Trains will leave the market building at 7 a. m., connecting with the steamer Victorian at Sydney and arriving at the Royal City at about noon. The return trip will be started at 5 o'clock. Excursionists will be given an opportunity of viewing the scenery through the Straits, and the canneries in operation on the Fraser river. The fare for the round trip will be \$1.50. Messrs. Rivers, Allen, Whyte, Redgrave, Beaven and O'Leary were appointed a committee to make the necessary arrangements for the outing.

—Yesterday afternoon at St. Barnabas' church Miss Mamie E. Whitaker, daughter of Mr. Wm. Whitaker, of 19 Chambers street, and Mr. John Nicola Moore, a rancher, of Nicola Valley, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Mr. Miller. Miss Florence Whitaker attended the bride, who was given away by her father, Mr. Wm. Moore, a brother of the groom, acted as groomsmen. A reception was held after the ceremony at the residence of the bride's parents when the guests took advantage of the opportunity to congratulate the newly married couple. There was a large number of handsome presents, showing the esteem in which the contracting parties are held. Mr. and Mrs. Moore left on their honeymoon trip to California.

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—A. B. McNeill has been offered the principalship of the Esquimalt public school, and will probably accept.

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—The only case called in the police court this morning was that of a colored man named Black, who was summoned to appear for vagrancy. As he did not appear a warrant for his arrest was issued.

—The Liberal Association of Cowichan held their first meeting on Monday evening last. There were present a large number of representatives from various parts of the district, and preliminary steps towards general organization were taken.

—The death occurred yesterday at Salt Spring island of Ross Mahon. Deceased was a native of Ireland and 41 years of age. He was widely acquainted and exceedingly well-to-do. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Wilson.

—For the benefit of Trinity church, South Saanich, a garden party will be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. La Poer Trench on Saturday. A programme of out-door sports, including bicycle and novelty races will be provided together with refreshments of different kinds, and a gala day is expected.

—To-day is St. Barnabas's Day, and is being appropriately observed in the Anglican church, which bears the saint's name. Holy Eucharist was held this morning. This evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, there will be Festal Evensong, the preacher being Rev. J. P. D. Lloyd, of St. Mark's, Seattle. The church is beautifully decorated. In connection with to-night's services a special musical programme will be rendered.

—The death occurred yesterday at the residence, the Gables, George street, of Marie Amelia, wife of Hugh B. W. Aikman, K. C. Deceased was 54 years of age, and a native of New Orleans. She was the eldest daughter of the late James David, formerly of New Orleans. The funeral is arranged to take place on Friday morning at 9.15 o'clock from the residence, and at 10 o'clock at the Roman Catholic cathedral.

—Five of the reformatory incorrigibles took French leave this morning. They pulled off a plank in the fence while the instructor was busy writing, and made away. As soon as the superintendent discovered their escape he dispatched young Bates, Emery and H. Hansen to look for them. So far the fugitives have not turned up, while the others are also drinking in the sunshine. The boys who escaped are Peter Hansen, E. Dadds, W. Gildard, Roy Cluness and J. Bulko. Some of these boys have got away so often that it is no novelty for them.

—The executive of the Agricultural Association are certainly getting down to business in fine style. A number of meetings have been held, and material progress in the arrangements for the next exhibition has been made. The great improvement effected by the delegation of preliminary preparations entirely to an executive committee is at once apparent. In the first place consisting of only five members, they are easily called together. In the second place when they do meet they perform their work in a business-like manner, the vast amount of verbiage which characterized the meetings last year being wholly absent.

—In accordance with the well defined progressive policy of this year's council in carrying out public improvements Mayor McCandless has to-day given notice that he will move at the next meeting to have Yates street, from Government to Wharf, Bastion from Government to Wharf, and Langley street from Bastion to Yates street, paved. These thoroughfares the Mayor hopes to have paved this year under the same conditions as the previous ones. If undertaken paving will be carried out during the months of July, August and September, and it will be possible on completion of the work for people coming in on any of the regular day steamers to drive to any of the hotels of the city on an almost continuous line of pavement.

—Collector A. R. Milne, C. M. G., has received permission from Ottawa to admit free of duty from England 200 goldfinches, 200 skylarks and 100 robin red breasts. These birds are to be imported by the British Columbia Natural History Society, and will be liberated on this island. Under ordinary circumstances the duty on them would be twenty per cent. of their value, but will not be exacted in the present instance because of the fact that the birds are intended for the benefit of the whole community. It is now about twenty-five years ago since the Natural History Society received a similar importation. Then it was of pheasant, thrushes and quail. The birds are imported from England because it is believed that the climate here and that to which they have been accustomed is similar.

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CHARLES JENKINSON DEAD.

Well-Known Citizen Passed Away This Morning—Highly Esteemed and Efficient Official.

Charles W. Jenkinson, deputy provincial assessor, passed away this morning at the family residence, Colville road, after a long and painful illness. Death resulted from cancer of the throat. The disease had been kept somewhat in check by two operations, but the doctors were unsuccessful in staying its fatal progress. At first a portion of the tongue was taken away, and it was thought that the cancer had been destroyed, but it was not long before all hope of this was given up. The patient was again taken to the hospital, and it was decided to try another operation. This time it was found that the cancer had spread to the throat. Everything possible was done to relieve him. However, Mr. Jenkinson slowly declined until death resulted to-day.

The news of his demise was received everywhere with regret. He was widely acquainted and very popular. He was 46 years of age and a native of Liverpool, England. Coming to British Columbia in his early youth Mr. Jenkinson received his education in this province. Entering the civil service about 16 years ago, he has gradually advanced until he held the position of deputy assessor. For the past six years he has in fact had the greater part of the responsibility of that department.

He leaves a widow, two sons, William and Clifford, and two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Nicholson and Mrs. P. H. Brown, to mourn his loss. The sympathy of the community is extended to the family in its great bereavement.

The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon under the auspices of Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F., from St. Saviour's church.

The plans for the C. P. R. docks to be constructed off Belleville street, it is understood will call for an arrangement which will prove of great convenience to the travelling public and company alike. The idea is to have an approach from the street to the steamer, over which the passengers will pass ashore instead of being required to go through the freight shed. This is the arrangement adopted at the ferry docks in the large cities. The company will expend about forty-five thousand dollars on the whole work.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Isaac Walsh took place this afternoon from the family residence, Pembroke street. Rev. Mr. Westman conducted appropriate services. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. D. Spencer, sr., M. Baker, J. W. Pendray, G. Powell, Ald. J. Kinsman and J. Baker. There was a very large attendance, and many beautiful floral emblems.

This morning a wedding was celebrated at the Dominion hotel, when Mr. Sidney Drake and Miss Harriet M. Schenck, both of Seattle, were united in the bonds of matrimony. A number of friends were present. Harriet, J. P. Hicks conducted the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Drake will spend their honeymoon in Victoria.

The launch Kootenay began her regular run on the Gorge to-day. The first trip was made this afternoon. The service is under the auspices of the Tourist Association, and affords visitors to the city one of the most attractive features of their sojourn here.

—Rev. Mr. McCoy, M. M., conducted the service this afternoon in connection with the funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. John Robertson, of Erie street. Many beautiful floral emblems were presented.

—Rev. J. P. Hicks received a donation of \$5 in aid of the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home this morning. He wishes to heartily thank the donor on behalf of the trustees of the home.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

A Santiago de Chili dispatch says the Chamber of Deputies has passed a bill imposing onerous restrictions on foreign insurance companies. The chief clause provides that a guarantee of \$100,000 must be deposited by all such companies. In the presence of a large and distinguished assembly, including the President and Miss Roosevelt, Miss Ruth Hanna, youngest daughter of Senator and Mrs. M. A. Hanna, was married to Mr. Joe. Medill McCormick, of Chicago, at St. Paul's Episcopal church, Cleveland, O., on Wednesday.

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Oriental Raw Silk Rugs, in hand some designs, suitable for camping.

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Small Orb Size...\$1.00 50c.
Size 50x50 inches...\$2.50 \$2.25
Size 55x55 inches...\$3.25 \$3.00
Size 70x50 inches...\$1.50 75c.

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Ladies' English Straw Sailor Hats, with white silk band. Regular value 50c. each. Friday...50c.

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Chairs, Lounge, Splendid Brussels and
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not, Embroidered Stand, Library Table, Con-
taining Table, Oak Dining Table, Sideboard,
Chairs, China, Glassware, Pictures, Jani-
tories, 4 Hardwood Bedroom Suites, in-
cluding One Massive Carved Walnut Set,
Iron Bedstead, Fine Toiletware, Mat-
tresses, Blankets, Bed Linen, Wardrobe,
Counter Scales, Cooking Utensils, Filter,
Mantolin, Flower Stand, Oxford Cooking
Range—New Model Cooking Range, and a
host of other articles.

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OFFICERS ELECTED.
At Meetings of I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge
and Encampment at Vancouver.

The annual session of the grand lodge,
I. O. O. F., opened at Vancouver yester-
day, when the following officers were elec-
ted: Dr. E. C. Arthur, Nelson, G. M.; T. F.
Neelds, Vancouver, D. G. M.; D. E.
McKenzie, New Westminster, grand ward-
en; Fred. Day, Victoria, grand secretary;
F. E. Simpson, Cranbrook, grand treasurer;
A. Henderson, Victoria, grand representa-
tive.

Grand Master Graham, of Victoria, pre-
sided, and Mayor Neelds read the ad-
dress of welcome. There were about 100 in
attendance.

It is confidently expected that Victoria
will be chosen as the place of meeting next
year.

At a meeting of the grand encampment,
I. O. O. F., officers were elected as fol-
lows: R. W. Dempster, Victoria, grand
patriarch; K. James Bell, Victoria, grand
high priest; Thos. Emberton, Roseland,
grand senior warden; T. F. Neelds, Van-
couver, grand scribe; H. B. Gilmour, Van-
couver, grand treasurer; Thos. McMillan,
Nanaimo, grand junior warden; A. Hender-
son, Victoria, grand marshal; D. E.
McKenzie, Westminster, grand inside sen-
tinel; G. H. Middlemiss, Vancouver, grand
outside sentinel.

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British nation has gone up from 5 feet 7 1/2
inches to 5 feet 8 1/2 inches.

**EXCURSIONS NOT
ALLOWED SUNDAYS**

**VESSELS SO ENGAGED
WILL NOT BE CLEARED**

**The Steamers Princess May and Danube
Sail for Northern Ports To-night—
Waterfront News.**

Excursions to points on the Sound
from Victoria Sundays are something of
the past. They can no longer be in-
dulged in, for the reason that govern-
ment regulations prohibit them. The
matter was referred to the collector
by Collector A. R. Milne, C. M. G., and
a reply has been received giving in-
structions that hereafter steamers engaged
in purely excursion business on Sundays are
not to be granted clearances. The law
would have been applied to the City of
Nanaimo when it sailed for the Sound
last Sunday for the special circum-
stances arising in connection with the
event. In this case the management had
gone to considerable expense in prepara-
tion for the outing, and had even sold
most of the tickets for the trip before dis-
covering that it was against the law.
Strong protests were entered against the
excursion by a number of ministers and
church workers of the city, but in con-
sideration of the facts above narrated
Collector Milne did not wish to exercise
any harsh measures. He has given or-
ders, however, that clearances for such
steamers in future are not to be issued.
Of course the new regulation will not
apply to the Sound steamers engaged in
regular business, and which may from
time to time carry parties of baseball
players or other pleasure seekers. The
question of Sunday excursions first came
up last year, when owing to the mon-
soon business being done on the Great
Lakes on the Sabbath Day the matter
was brought to the attention of the gov-
ernment.

TO-NIGHT'S SAILINGS.

Two big C. P. R. steamships will be
leaving port for northern ports to-night.
The Danube will be sailing for British
Columbia ports and the Princess May
for Skagway. Both will be heavily
freighted, and the Princess May will
have no spare passenger accommodation.
Among others who will be leaving
on her will be J. A. Thompson, manager
of the Hudson Bay Company, who
starts tonight on his annual inspection
of the trading posts in the north. He
will embark at Wrangell and ascend the
Stikine on the Company's steamer Mount
Royal now in service on that river. Other
passengers will be E. B. Shaw, C. J.
Sells, Mrs. Sells, J. A. Fraser,
H. B. Ellis, Dr. Reagan, Mrs. Reagan,
Mr. Grime, F. Gasson, T. H. Jones, Mr.
Robinson and wife, M. Leiser, Mrs.
Anderson and T. J. Jones.

PREPARING FOR SEA.

From the preparations now in pro-
gress it would seem that the schooner
Jessie, which was recently brought from
the American side, would be the first to
leave the port for a vessel heading
for Behring Sea. The schooner is tak-
ing supplies, and is today filling her
water tanks so that her early departure
may be looked for. She will pick up
Indian hunters on the coast, and will be
followed by others as soon as they can
be hurried out of port bound on the same
mission.

MARINE NOTES.

The launch Beryl, one of the two craft
built by the Victoria Machinery Depot
for the laying of the submarine mines
in Esquimaux, will be making a trial trip
this afternoon. The Topaz, the other
launch, will be as far advanced in eight
or ten days.

The round-the-world liner Ajax is due
in from the Orient today with 570 tons
of freight for this city.

The steamer Trader has undergone in-
spection, and will be leaving to-night to
resume business.

Steamer Malattie is being cleaned and
painted in the Seattle dock today.

H. M. S. Flora went into dry dock
early this morning.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Preparing For the Coming Mid-Summer
Exhibition.

This society is about again to solicit
the interest of the flower-growing and
flower-loving residents of Victoria and
neighborhood in aid of the funds, and to
secure the success of the forthcoming
summer flower show, which is fixed for
Friday and Saturday, the 21st and 22nd
of August, to be held in one of the public
city halls.

So much depends upon the good will
and support of the general public, that
it is sincerely hoped many will come for-
ward as members, subscribers or special
prize donors, either in cash or articles
selected from their own stores, groceries,
wearing apparel, jewellery, books, garden
implements, household ornaments, photo-
graphs, nick nacks, flowers in pots, are
all available for this purpose, and the
donor can stipulate for the articles which
shall be entered for competition. By this
means the favorite flower or flowers of
the giver of the prize will be brought in-
to prominence, and the general interest
in the show furthered. The society has
been incorporated under the Horticultural
and Horticultural Societies Act, and has
recently been affiliated with the Royal
Horticultural Society of England; by this
means the members will be kept in touch
with the flower lovers of the Old Coun-
try, and the status of the Victoria Horti-
cultural Society improved. The follow-
ing is the list of the supporters and staff of
the society: Hon. president, His Honor
the Lieutenant-Governor; vice-presidents,
Mrs. Croft, Mrs. F. Barnard, Mrs. E.
Crow-Baker, the Rev. Percival Jones,
Major Dupont, His Worship Mayor
McDonald, E. B. Bingham, Esq.; acting
president, P. B. Pemberton, Esq.; sec-
retary, Mr. Thos. W. Palmer, Esq.; direc-
tors, Messrs. James, Gage, Russell, J. Bland,

Thingus, Milne, Cook, Mrs. Siddall,
Mrs. Wolfenden, and Mrs. Robich.
Notice has already been given of the spe-
cial prizes of a silver medal and bronze
medal for bouquets of flowers grown and
arranged by a boy or girl attending
school in Victoria, and it is anticipated
a keen competition will be the result of
the offer. A lady member of the society
has promised a special prize for the best
herbarium or book of pressed flowers,
also a special prize for the best collection
of seaweeds.

The interest and usefulness of the so-
ciety is thus growing, and in the pre-
sent forward march of Victoria it is
hoped the Horticultural Society will
have its share in educating the taste and
beautifying the gardens in the city and
neighborhood. The secretary, Mr. T. W.
Palmer, 20 North Chatham street, will be
pleased to receive money or promises
of articles for special prizes, or to wait
upon intending donors if further infor-
mation is desired.

AT MACAULAY PLAINS.

Band Concert Last Evening—Regimental
Order Issued To-Day.

Last night at Macaulay Plains a con-
cert was given by the Fifth Regiment
band for the benefit of the British sol-
diers and their friends. There was a
large attendance from the forces at Work
Point, but the number of civilians from
the city was limited.

The sergeants of Work Point barracks
will entertain members of the sergeants'
mess of the Fifth Regiment at an "At
Home" to be held this evening. A pleas-
ant time is anticipated.

This morning the following regimental
order was issued to-day by Lieut.-Col.
Hall:

Regimental Headquarters,
Camp Macaulay, June 11th, 1903.

Orderly officer for Friday, Lieut. Vigor.

Next for duty, Lieut. McTavish.

The following men having been granted
their discharges, are struck off the strength
of the regiment: No. 206, Gr. C. A. Haynes,
Nov. 30th, 1902; No. 201, Gr. W. W. Thrall,
Jan. 22nd, 1903; No. 208, Corp. H. S.
Mason, Jan. 22nd, 1903; No. 201, Gr. H.
Monteith, Jan. 22nd, 1903.
Officers and N. C. O.'s questions will be
asked on Wednesday and Thursday even-
ings, 17th and 18th June, 1903.
(Sgd.) D. B. McCONNAN,
Adjutant.

OFFICIAL INFORMATION.

The Provincial Gazette of To-Day Con-
tains the Latest Appointments and
Public Notices.

To-day's Gazette contains notice of the
following appointments:
Constable G. H. Aston, of Golden, to be
chief-inspector for Golden, Inver-
cumb, vice S. Redgrave, deceased.
Thos. R. Hall, of Victoria, to be assessor
and collector for the Victoria assessment
district, vice C. Booth, deceased.

Francis C. Lawe, of Fernie, to be a
notary public.

Arthur H. Harman, of Victoria, to be a
commissioner to administer oaths, and
take and receive affidavits without the
province of British Columbia for use in the
city of the Grifflins.

Wm. L. Griffiths, of London, Eng., sec-
retary to the High Commissioner for Canada,
to be a commissioner for taking affidavits
in and for the courts of British Columbia.

The resignation of Mr. J. P. Macarthur, of
Saraon, of the office of J. P. is accepted.

Vacancies on the board of examiners for
Morrison mine have been filled by the fol-
lowing appointments: Alex. Hamilton,
vice Philip Christopher, resigned; Hugh
McDonald, vice J. E. Holliday, resigned;

J. Johnson to be first alternate, vice
Alex. Hamilton; John Campbell to be sec-
ond alternate, vice J. T. Davis.

The date for holding the first sittings of
the court of revision for the city of Vic-
tor is extended to Thursday, July 9th.

The assignment notice of Daniel H. Rice
and Jas. E. Rice, trading as Rice Bros., of
Grand Forks, appears in the Gazette. The
creditors are to meet in Nelson on June
17th.

Notice is given that creditors of the
estate of the late Jos. Best must file their
claims with Smith & Laughton, Spokane,
on or before July 31st.

East Haney school district, in Westmin-
ster district, has been formed.

The following companies have been incor-
porated:
The Canit Shipping Company, Limited,
with a capital of \$50,000, divided into 100
shares.

Western Oil & Coal Co., Ltd., with a
capital of \$1,000,000, divided into 1,000,000
shares.

The West End Grocery Co., Ltd., with a
capital of \$25,000, divided into 250
shares, to carry on the business of retail
grocers, etc., in Victoria and Esquimaux.

Ship Kinross Co., Ltd., capitalized at
\$4,000, divided into 40 shares.

The Union Loan & Investment Co., Ltd.,
capitalized at \$10,000, divided into 10,000
shares.

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owing to improper digestion. A very
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the stomach, aids digestion. Nerviline
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ways unique in design and find a ready
sale because of their low prices.

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CURES ALL CHIEFS. IT RELIEVES
IN 10 MINUTES.

Here are a few names of clergymen of
different creeds who are firm believers in
the "preaching" in all its claims: Isaac
Sweetman, Rev. Dr. Langtry (Episco-
palian); Rev. Dr. Withrow and Rev. Dr.
Chambers (Methodist), and Dr. Newman,
Chaplain Toronto, Canada. Copies of their
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Dr. Agnew's Ointment relieves piles in
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Just call round and examine all the various good things I have in my
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Every variety of the choicest and most palatable drinks on ice.

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THE APPEAL DISMISSED.

Court Yesterday Affirmed Conviction of
the Hayes Case—Others Matters De-
alt With.

The case reserved by Mr. Justice Drake
in Rex vs. Hayes was argued before the
Appeal court yesterday, L. P. Duff, K. C.,
representing Col. Hayes, and the Deputy
Attorney-General appearing for the crown.
Justices Walker, Drake, Irving and Mar-
tin were on the bench, and after listening
to argument as to whether the indictment
was valid owing to the presence of C. S.
Baxter on the grand jury, their Lordships
dismissed the appeal, sustained the indict-
ment, and affirmed the conviction against
Col. Hayes. Mr. Justice Walker dissent-
ing from this decision.

In the criminal case of Rex vs. Louis,
leave to appeal was granted. J. H. Law-
son, Jr., appeared for the prisoner, who
is in default under sentence of death on a
murder charge.

The appeal by defendant in Milne vs.
Mardonie is being argued before the full
court to-day. Jos. Martin, K. C., for de-
fendant, H. M. Cleland and T. M. Miller
contra.

The sittings of the County court this
morning was of short duration, most of
the cases on the list being adjourned till
the next sittings. Mr. Justice Irving presided,
and gave judgment in the following suits:

Gilliam vs. Victoria Sealing Co.—Judg-
ment for defendants, with liberty to plain-
tiff to receive money paid into court. F.
B. Gregory for plaintiff, J. M. Bradburn
contra.

Landisberg vs. Jordan—Judgment for
plaintiff with costs. J. M. Bradburn for
plaintiff, J. M. Bradburn contra.

Duncan Mining & Development Co. vs.
Duncan—Judgment for plaintiffs. F.
Nightingale for plaintiffs, R. H. Pooley contra.

Nash vs. Jackson and wife—Judgment for
plaintiff. A. F. W. Solomon for plaintiff,
J. M. Bradburn contra.

In Chambers yesterday Mr. Justice
Drake granted probate of wills of W. F.
Allen, deceased, and Wm. Charles, de-
ceased, on application of W. J. Taylor, K. C.
In Robertson vs. Ward (Barrie estate), the
time for proving defendant's claim was
fixed for June 17th. W. J. Taylor, K. C.,
for plaintiff, In re Lenora Mining Co.,
leave was given to complete sale of certain
lots. W. E. Oliver for liquidator.

PERSONAL.

John Kirk, secretary of the Ragged
School Union and Shaftesbury Society, of
London, England, is in the city. Mr.
Kirk has for years been engaged in philan-
thropic work of this character. On his
present visit to Canada he is taking occa-
sion to look into the conditions prevailing
with respect to boys being sent out to
work on farms. Mr. Kirk is accompanied
by his wife and daughter. They will be
guests at the Dominion hotel for a few
days before starting on their homeward
journey.

John Shields, of Hamilton, Ont., is in
the city. He is well known to the early
residents of Victoria as the driver of the
Royal Mail stage coach between this city
and Esquimaux before the days of the tram-
car. He has been absent seventeen years,
and is surprised at the growth of the city
in that time. After a few days' visit to
old friends he will go back to Hamilton
by way of San Francisco and Mexico.

A. H. Harman and family left last
night for Clifton-on-Sea, Essex, where Mr.
Harman will enter business with his
brother. He has been here thirteen years,
and during that time has been engaged in
the real estate business, was connected
with the C. P. N. Company, and for the
past few years was secretary of the Hinton
Electric Company.

The Raymond party who spent a few
days in the city guests at the Grand
last night for the Mainland. As many
of them as could be accommodated took
in the beautiful of the city from the
tally-ho coach yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Newcomb has returned from another
trip among the Indian tribes. His last
trip was made to the Mainland bands. He
represents the Field Columbian museum,
of Chicago, and has made a careful study of
the Indian character and customs.

E. Adams and wife, C. F. Zimmerman
and A. J. Hayward were among the pas-
sengers from the Sound by this morning's
Rosalia.

J. D. Graham, ex-gold commissioner for
Atlin, and Mrs. Graham, are touring in
France during the summer.

John Cochrane and Mrs. Cochrane were

among the passengers from the Sound by
the steamer Rosalia.

R. Rogers and Mrs. Rogers came over
from the Sound this morning by the
Rosalia.

IN A CAPTIZED SHIP.

Captain Was Rescued After Twelve
Days' Captivity.

The escape from dench of Capt. Engelland,
of the German iron sailing vessel
Erndte, as reported from Danzig, will
hardly find its equal in the annals of life-
saving, says an exchange.

The Erndte left Menzel with a cargo of
timber on April 16th. During the next
two days the vessel was exposed to a
very rough sea, which kept the crew of
four men at work day and night. On
April 18th, just as the captain had re-
turned to his cabin, the storm suddenly
became so violent that the vessel cap-
sized.

The crew were swept away and drown-
ed, and the captain was imprisoned in
the ship's hull, the hatches having been
closed tightly by the sudden pressure of
the water. The wreck drifted along, keel
upward, until April 30th, when it was
sighted by the Norwegian steamship
Aurora off the fishing village of Rik-
hoft. The latter immediately proceed-
ed to secure the wreck, and while thus
engaged the crew heard repeated knock-
ing from the inside against the iron bot-
tom.

They also noticed a noise resembling
a human voice crying "Help." A hole
was drilled in the iron plates, and this
was hardly accomplished when a human
finger appeared in the opening. Then
Capt. Engelland announced himself to
the astonished sailors as safe and sound
within the ship's hull. He said he had
food enough for three days, but during
the last twenty-four hours had been
compelled to drink sea water, as the
tanks were empty.

The Norwegian steamship artificers
were not prepared to make the hole in
the iron bottom large enough to permit
of the imprisoned man's liberation, and
therefore, the wreck was towed to Dan-
zig. Here the vessel was raised, and
thus ended Capt. Engelland's captivity,
which lasted twelve weary days and eleven
nights.

The hardy seaman is none the worse
for the fatigue he underwent. During
the day he worked hard to make his
presence inside the vessel known to pass-
ing ships, but at night he slept peace-
fully with the water underneath and iron
roof above.

The old catalpa tree in Gray's Inn gar-
den, brought from Virginia by Sir Wal-
ter Raleigh, and planted there by Lord
Bacon, is said to be dying.

BORN.
GREGG—On the 11th inst., the wife of C.
A. Gregg, of a son.

MARRIED.
FORREST-Lewis—At Nanaimo, on June
9th, by Rev. J. Miller, A. E. Forrest
and Miss Theodora Lewis.

INSKIP-LOAT—At St. James's church, on
the 10th inst., by Rev. J. H. B.
Green, Henry Charles Inskip, second son of
Harry Leonard Inskip, of the Oak,
South Tottenham, London, England, to
Corla Helen second daughter of the late
Christopher Loat and Mrs. Loat,
Garr street, Victoria.

DIED.
AIKMAN—On the 10th inst., at "The
Gables," Gorge road, Marie Amelle,
wife of Hugh B. W. Aikman, Esq., K.
C., and eldest daughter of the late
Jules David, formerly of New Orleans,
in her 64th year.

The funeral will take place from the
residence as above to-morrow morning
(Friday) at 9.15 a. m., and at St. Andrew's
Roman Catholic Cathedral at 10 o'clock.
Friends kindly, accept this intimation.

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try, bath room, hot and cold water,
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facing south, assessed at \$250; price
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